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August 15, 2012

Todd Bowman
BankWest
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Dear Todd:

Our office is in receipt of your raffle request. The date of the filings is August 15, 2012. You may begin selling tickets 30 days after the filings, which would be September 15, 2012. According to the state statue which I have attached you will have to wait the 30 days before selling tickets.

If there is any other way in which our office could assist you, please feel free to contact me at (605) 773-3537 or email me at Judy.Larson@state.sd.us. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Judy A. Larson

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Larson, Judy (SOS)

From: Todd Bowman [todd.bowman@bankwest-sd.com]
Sent: Wednesday, August 15, 2012 8:53 AM
To: Larson, Judy (SOS)
Subject: RE: Pierre Winter Fishing Weekend - Raffle

Judy,

Attached is our request. Let me know if you need anything else.

Our committee was not aware of the 30 day wait to sell tickets. We have been talking about a raffle for months and the Chamber didn't mention it until Monday of this week, and we were going to sell tickets right away. Is there any way we can start selling tickets immediately? Our payment pages have been designed for sale of raffle tickets and we may incur additional delays and costs to wait. Every dime we take in we put right back into the tournament in either cash prizes or merchandise to attract people to Pierre. If there is a way, please let us know. The City of Pierre has authorized us to sell immediately.

Todd

From: Judy.Larson@state.sd.us [mailto:Judy.Larson@state.sd.us]
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2012 5:09 PM
To: Todd Bowman
Subject: [EXT] RE: Pierre Winter Fishing Weekend - Raffle

If you are holding a statewide raffle you need to register with the Secretary of State's office. We need on your letterhead the date the raffle drawing will be held, where it will be held, what you are raffling off and what the raffle will benefit. Once our office receives your request to hold the raffle we will send you a letter back letting you know when you may start selling tickets. Just so you know you can not start selling tickets until 30 days after our office has been notified. I always send the notification back the same day I receive it.

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-----Original Message-----
From: Todd Bowman [mailto:todd.bowman@bankwest-sd.com]
Sent: Monday, August 13, 2012 4:17 PM
To: SOS Internet Info
Subject: Pierre Winter Fishing Weekend - Raffle

The Pierre Chamber just informed me that we need to have permission from the State to hold a statewide raffle. Is that correct?

We are wanting to raffle a 4-wheeler for the Pierre WFW. Please let me know how we need to proceed. Our website is located at www.pierrewfw.com. If you are not familiar with this fishing tournament or need more information, please let me know ASAP. We need to get this moving quickly and I just found out about this today.

To: Secretary of States Office

From: Pierre Winter Fishing Weekend Committee

RE: Raffle of 2012 Can-Am Outlander XT 500 ATV

In order to raise funds for the Pierre WFW tournament, we would like to raffle an ATV. The drawing will be held February 2, 2013 at the Ramkota in Pierre. A maximum of 750 tickets will be sold at $20 each. This will be the 3rd Annual Pierre WFW tournament. The primary purpose of the tournament is to showcase the winter outdoor fishing opportunities in the Pierre area and attract people from out of town. Attracting people to the area is our focus to help support local businesses.

Our website is located at www.pierrewfw.com and Facebook page at www.facebook.com/pierrewfw

If you need additional information, please contact:

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